

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

August 17, 2000

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Donna Anderson, Treasurer
National Republican Congressional
Committee-Expenditures
320 First Street
Washington, DC 20003

Identification Number:

C00075820

Reference:

May Monthly Report (4/1/00-4/30/00)

Dear Ms. Anderson:

This letter is to inform you that as of August 16, 2000 the Commission has not received your response to our request for additional information, dated July 26, 2000. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to this request (copy enclosed).

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by September 6, 2000. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Andrea Wilkens on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

John D. Gibson

Assistant Staff Director Reports Analysis Division

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Dear Ms. Anderson:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Line 12 of the Detailed Summary Page of your report discloses a total of \$2,782,698 in transfers from affiliated/other party committees. The sum of the entries itemized on Schedule A, however, indicates the total to be \$2,282,696. Please amend your report to clarify the discrepancy.

- -Schedule H4 discloses a disbursement(s) for 313-328 which is categorized as fundraising; however, Schedule H2 does not include an allocation ratio for this activity. Please amend Schedule H2 to disclose the omitted ratio.
- -Please amend Schedule B supporting Line 23 by providing the office sought, including state and congressional district, if applicable, for each contribution made. 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3)(ii) and (v)
- -Your report indicates that you have received corporate in-kind contributions during the reporting period; however, you have failed to properly disclose the original receipt and disbursement of these in-kinds by your non-federal account(s). Please refer to the following reporting requirements for National Committees:

In accordance with 11 CFR 104.8(e), a National Party Committee shall disclose in a memo Schedule A, information about each individual,

committee, corporation, or other entity that donates in excess of \$200 in a calendar year to the committee's non-federal account(s). Furthermore, in accordance with 11 CFR 104.9(c), a National Party Committee shall report in a memo Schedule B the full name and mailing address of each person to whom a disbursement in an aggregate year is made from the committee's non-federal account(s), together with the date, amount and purpose of each disbursement.

You should amend this report to fully disclose the corporate in-kind contributions by your non-federal account(s).

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Andrea Wilkens

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